

***IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE***

Applicant: Peng-Cho TANG, et al.  
Title: INDOLINONE  
COMBINATORIAL LIBRARIES  
AND RELATED PRODUCTS  
AND METHODS FOR THE  
TREATMENT OF DISEASE  
Prior Appl. No.: 08/702,232  
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Prior to examination of the present Continuing Application, Applicants respectfully request that the application be amended as follows:

**In the Specification:**

Please amend the specification as follows:

After the Application Title, please insert:

This is a Continuation Application of Application No. 08/702,232, filed August 23, 1996, which is in turn a Continuation-in-Part of U.S. patent applications Serial Nos. 08/655,255, 08/655,226, 08/655,223, 08/655,224, and 08/659,191, all filed June 5, 1996, and all of which are continuations-in-part of U.S. patent application Serial No. 08/485,323, filed June 7, 1995, all of which are incorporated herein by reference in their entirety, including any drawings.

**REMARKS**

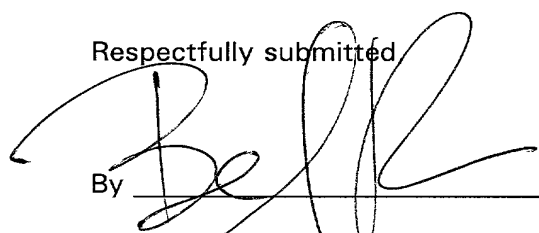
Entry of the foregoing amendments prior to examination is respectfully requested.

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